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TITLE OF INVENTION: SELF-SERVICE TERMINAL

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DETAILED ACTION

This communication is in response to Board of Appeal Decision dated 7/16/09.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Michael Chan on 7/27/09.

Cancel claims 1, 2, 9-14, and 21-26.

Amend claims 18-20 as follows:

- 1-17. (canceled)
- 18. (currently amended) Method according to claim 1, A method of providing financial transactions via a self-service terminal associated with an organization having individuals under its supervision, the method comprising the steps of:

maintaining a financial account for the organization;

- maintaining a financial account for an individual under the supervision of the organization;
- allowing a sponsor and/or the organization to establish rules governing use of funds within the financial account by the individual; and
- when a transaction is requested by the individual at a self-service terminal located in premises used by the organization, examining by a processor the rules and fulfilling the transaction if the transaction is consistent with the established rules for that individual;

wherein the rules limit times-of-day when specific transactions are allowed.

- 19. (currently amended) Method according to claim 9, A financial transaction system comprising:
- a) a self-service terminal, SST, in communication with a transaction host, wherein the terminal is associated with an organization having individuals under its supervision;

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b) means for maintaining a financial account for an individual under the supervision of the organization;

- c) means for allowing a sponsor and/or the organization to establish rules governing use of the financial account by the individual, said rules being accessible to the SST or the host; and
- d) means for fulfilling a transaction requested by the individual at the terminal if the transaction is consistent with the established rules for that individual;

wherein the rules limit times-of-day when specific transactions are allowed.

- 20. (currently amended) Method according to claim 12, A financial transaction system comprising:
- a) an automated teller machine (ATM) in communication with a transaction host, wherein the ATM is associated with an organization having individuals under its supervision;
- b) means for maintaining a financial account for an individual under the supervision of the organization;
- c) means for allowing a sponsor and/or the organization to establish rules governing use of the financial account by the individual, said rules being accessible to the ATM or the host; and
- d) means for fulfilling a transaction requested by the individual at the ATM if the transaction is consistent with the established rules for that individual;

wherein the rules limit times-of-day when specific transactions are allowed.

21-26. (canceled)

Reasons for Allowance

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

Board of Appeal decision dated 7/16/09.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Contact Information

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Kirsten S. Apple whose telephone number is 571.272.5588. The

examiner can normally be reached on Monday - Friday 9:00-5:30.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's

supervisor, James Trammell can be reached on 571-272-6712. The fax phone number for the

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/Kirsten S Apple/

Primary Examiner, Art Unit 3694